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AMENDMENT

Dear Commissioner:

The USPTO issued an office action dated July 29, 2003 in respect to the above application. Applicant responds as follows:

REMARKS

Applicant cancels claims 13-16, 28, and 30.

Applicant believes that this amendment places the application into indicated condition for allowance.

Favorable action is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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